



Docket No.: SON-2213
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Hiroto Hirakoso

Application No.: 09/955,196

Confirmation No.: 9433

Filed: September 19, 2001

Art Unit: 2624

For: IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD AND
IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE

Examiner: W. J. Tucker

**AMENDMENT FOR FILING WITH
A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

MS RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated August 28, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

01/24/2008 MAHNE1 00000062 100013 09955196
03 FC:1201 210.00 DA
04 FC:1202 200.00 DA